

### **Traduttore, Traditore** Curated by Karen Greenwalt and Katja Rivera November 3–December 16, 2017

Artists: Bani Abidi | Arturo Hernández Alcázar | Carlos Arias Luis Camnitzer | Alejandro Cesarco | Bethany Collins Brendan Fernandes | Dora García | Emily Jacir Katia Kameli | Harold Mendez | Paulo Nazareth Sherwin Ovid | Michael Rakowitz | Raqs Media Collective Emilio Rojas | Thamotharampillai Shanaathanan | Edra Soto

Traduttore, Traditore brings together a group of artists from around the world who employ processes of translation to expose, question, and challenge global circuits of economic and cultural capital. Emerging from the reality that uninhibited travel, communication, and trade are available to a privileged few, the exhibition uses translation as a means of exploring the transformation-of language, customs, currency, and even memory-that occurs when people cross borders. Taken from the Italian aphorism that roughly translates to "translator, traitor," the exhibition title speaks to the misunderstandings, losses, and fragmentation that manifest during this process of exchange. The artists address not only the difficulties but also the productive possibilities inherent to processes of translation.

#### **Related Programs:**

Voices Lecture: Harold Mendez Thursday, November 2 6pm

Opening Reception Friday, November 3 5pm–8pm

Forms & Features: Translation Tuesday, November 7 5pm

Voices Lecture: Bani Abidi Thursday, November 9 6pm

Screening: Rising Voices/Hótĥaŋiŋpi Wednesday, November 15 6pm

Curator and Artist Conversation at UIC MFA Open Studios Thursday, November 30 6pm

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**Opening Reception** 

Voices Lecture:

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